

SUBSCRIPTION FOR COLORED HOMELESS

Thirty-Seven Respectable Colored People Lost Everything in Fairmount Fire.

NEED FOOD AND SHELTER

Mr. Buchanan Makes Earnest Appeal to Public to Aid Sufferers.

Rev. Dr. Buchanan, general secretary of the Associated Charities of Richmond, has addressed to the public an appeal for help for the eight colored families whose homes at Fairmount were destroyed by fire on Thursday. Mr. Buchanan has made a personal investigation of the matter, and states that there are thirty-seven colored men, women and children who are in the utmost need of assistance. He states that these colored people are respectable, hard-working and in every way deserving of charity. The names of those whose property was destroyed are James Goin and family of six, Thomas Winston and family of three, Randall Dudley and family of four, Robert Goin and family of five, William Allen and family of seven, Jacob Nimms and family of four, Julius Lightfoot and family of five, H. S. Garbrough and family of three. Garbrough had just finished paying on July 10th the balance of his furniture, amounting to \$139.23, and his loss is complete, no insurance having been carried, and the cases of the others are no less pathetic, for the people lost not only their household belongings, but clothes and personal effects. Neighbors of the homeless people have taken them into their houses and will care for the women and children until they can find new homes, but the situation is pitiable. Mr. Buchanan's appeal is to find homes for all and to furnish them necessary food and a few articles of furniture. With this object in view, he calls on the people of Richmond to assist, and suggests that subscriptions to the fund be left at The Times-Dispatch business office.

Appeal for Aid.

Mr. Buchanan's letter follows: Richmond, Va., July 13, 1907. Editor of The Times-Dispatch: Sir,—Friday night on the 1300 block, North Twenty-fifth Street, left eight colored families homeless and destitute. An appeal was made to the Associated Charities for aid. We have investigated these families and found them hard-working and deserving negroes, who, through no fault of theirs, are thus left penniless. No fund for systematic aid to the colored population has heretofore existed. In order to help, as given to the colored population, has been productive of many of the evils which unfortunately infect that portion of our population. We believe that wise and judicious aid, conservatively administered, would alleviate much suffering and be productive of a more general

Two Reduction Sales To-Morrow.

In one you have the choice of hundreds of Suits which sold up to \$25
At \$11.00 Each.
In the Other
You have the choice of broken lots of two-piece suits which sold at \$10, \$12.50 and \$13,
At \$6.50 Each.
In both lots the assortment is particularly rich in small and very large sizes.



desire for self-support and self-respect. These families are in immediate need, and help ought to be given at once. The Associated Charities are prepared to administer all funds sent for the relief of these families. We would like to make an appeal to the public through your valuable paper for this purpose. All checks sent can be made payable to John Stewart Bryan, treasurer of the Associated Charities. Very truly yours,
JAMES BUCHANAN,
General Secretary Associated Charities of Richmond.

The following subscription has been received:
Times-Dispatch\$20.00

WORK FOR THE CITY FATHERS.

Many Meetings for Early Days of the Week.

The schedule, as at present outlined, calls for much work on the part of the City Fathers for the week ending, but most of it will be crowded into the early days. The following meetings are scheduled for Monday: Committee on Light, at 7:30, on Water, at the same hour, on Streets, at 8 o'clock, on Poor, at 8 o'clock, and at the same hour the Finance Committee will hear more testimony concerning the Mayor's alleged charges against that committee. At 8:30 in the afternoon a subcommittee from the Buildings and Grounds Committee will endeavor to hold a meeting. At 8:30 the Board of Aldermen are scheduled to hold an adjourned meeting to consider the Mayor's letter. Important among them the appropriation for Richmond Day at Jamestown. Tuesday the Grounds and Buildings Committee will hold forth at 5 P. M. At 8 o'clock the Committees on Finance and on Street Cleaning will be in session. If they can muster quorums. The Committee on Charter, Ordinances and Reform is booked for a meeting Thursday night, but the supposition is that all of Richmond, including the members of this committee, will be at Jamestown on that date and hour, and the probability is that a quorum will not materialize.

We have too many Baby Carriages. The season is getting late, so they must be sold.

Commencing MONDAY MORNING and continuing TUESDAY 6 P. M., we will place on sale twenty-six of "THE HAYWOOD" Carriages at a reduction of twenty (20) cents or more on the dollar. LOOK!

- 1 Auto. Carriage (as per cut) that sold at \$65, now...\$49.98
- 2 English Combination Carriages that sold at \$48, now \$38.40
- 3 elaborate, handsome upholstered Carriages that sold at \$40, now\$31.98
- 3 Carriages that sold at \$18, now\$15.40
- 5 Carriages that sold at \$14, now\$11.28
- 3 Carriages that sold at \$12.50, now\$9.98
- 7 Carriages that sold at \$7.50 to \$10, now\$6.48
- 2 slightly shop-worn Carriages that sold at \$7.50 and \$10, now\$3.98



Fifty or more Go-Carts (Heywood) must go also. Any price you want from a solid, continuous steel handle folding cart for \$1.98, to the best upholstered reclining at \$35.

Seven rattan, skeleton Go-Carts, just the thing for this weather (The Heywood), that sold from \$6 to \$12. This sale,

\$3.98 to \$6.98

...REMEMBER THE...

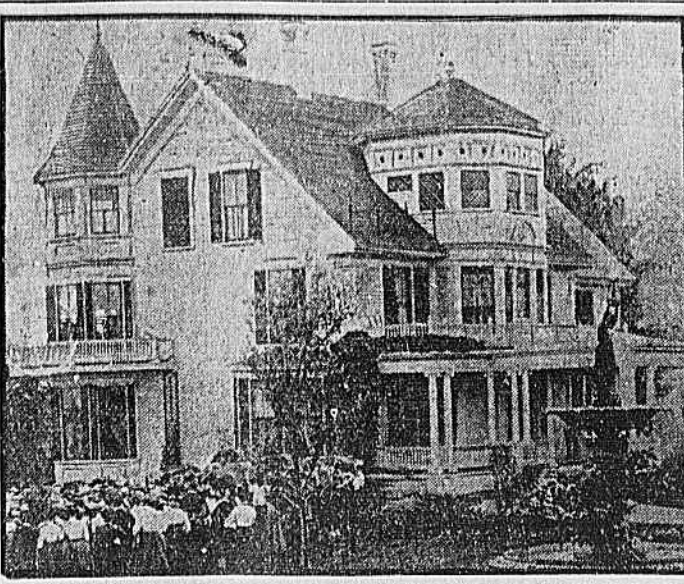
Alaska Refrigerator

We are the agents. Any size from a ten-pound ice tank to a fourteen hundred pound one.



Adams and Broad

PLEASANT VIEW, EDDY HOME



whether, if elected by the people, they must be elected on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, as provided by section 122 of the Constitution. But this matter was fully discussed before the committee of the Legislature to whom the charter was referred, especially the committee appointed under section 51 of the Constitution, and I heard no doubt expressed as to the authority of the Legislature, under section 122 of the Constitution, to fix the time of election of this board on the second Tuesday in June, especially if the charter were passed by a recorded vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house, under section 117 of the Constitution, a precaution which was observed in the passage of the Norfolk charter.

This feature of our new charter had the almost unanimous support of our people. The press of our city supported it, and, as I recall it, the councils of our city recommended it unanimously. I may safely say it had, without question, popular support, and although our Board of Control has had many difficulties to encounter since it took charge under our new charter, such as the necessity of acting under the old ordinances of the city, which have not to this time been reformed so as to fully fit the new order of things, and many others, which it would be improper to put in print, but with all the difficulties it has had to encounter, I think it may be a success, and I believe our city has saved much in the administration of its affairs.

Don't Reduce Council.

I see you are discussing some plan for reducing the number of your City Council to, say, six members, by reducing the number of your wards. Our commission went over all that ground, and it considered it unwise to do so. Such a thing, because the City Council, as the legislative branch of the city government, had charge of the levying of taxes and appropriation of the public money, together with a great many other matters relating to the general government, such as the framing and passage of ordinances, and it considered that it should be so constituted as to be representative, as far as possible. This could not be accomplished by having a small number of wards and a small representation from each ward. When one begins to work out a city government on any such line, with the veto power of the Mayor, he will soon find that his city would be governed by a Lord Mayor. The great strength of municipal government is not in reducing representation in the City Council, through which the people speak, but to get the members elected to realize the importance of their legislative duties and functions, and their obligation as citizens to render willing and efficient service. Yours respectfully,
W. W. Old, Mayor.

Norfolk, Va., July 11, 1907.

Northside Baptist Church.
Northside Baptist Church will hold services to-day in Town Hall, Northside. Sunday-school will be held at 9:30 o'clock and preaching at 11. The church will celebrate the Lord's Supper for the first time at the close of the service.

Keep Well with Good Food

Proper selection of Food the sure way to get well and keep well. Use

Grape-Nuts

A Mo. woman says: "While getting over the grip, and while my stomach was so irritable I could not eat anything without distress, I found I could take a dish of Grape-Nuts with cream or good milk, and feel built up like I had eaten a full meal, and yet have none of the unpleasant effects of indigestion. I wish people knew its worth. "It seems to me trained nurses and physicians could use it to such good advantage. It is really the best nourishing and easily digested food I ever tried." Grape-Nuts food is now recommended by physicians all over the world. They know it contains the delicate particles of Phosphate of Potash, the element Nature combines with albumen of the food to build the soft gray substance in the nerve centers and brain in the human body. The effect is in some ways like a stimulant, but does not wear off, for it is a natural rebuilding. Grape-Nuts can be made into a great many different and palatable dishes. As an illustration: A most delicious mock pumpkin pie can be made from Grape-Nuts after the following recipe: Pour boiling water over 1/2 cup Grape-Nuts, let stand 10 minutes; add 2 eggs, 4 tablespoons of sugar, 2 cups sweet milk, 3 teaspoons of ginger, 1 teaspoon mixed spices. Stir over slow fire until thoroughly boiled. Bake pie dough in deep pan. When done, pour in prepared Grape-Nuts, return to oven and brown. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

MOTHER EDDY NOT A PHYSICAL WRECK

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I had wedged in a brief question which she appeared hardly to hear, despite her leaning forward. "Won't you kindly change seats, gentlemen?" she said. "The only infirmity attendant upon age with which I am afflicted is a difficulty in hearing. When conversing with members of my household I have little trouble understanding what they say in their ordinary tones, but I always have to ask strangers to speak loudly. Curiously, my deafness seems at its worst when I have visitors. Possibly the excitement has something to do with this."

The change was made. "What do you feel will be the result of the present controversy?" I repeated, referring to the suit brought against her son, George W. Glover, who claims she is not mentally able to resist the alleged efforts of certain of her confidential companions to run her personal affairs. I lifted my voice sharply, and there was no hesitation in the reply to my question. "Why, good must come of it, of course. Hard as it is to bear, it cannot but cause the truth to stand out more clearly in the end. It is not so much a personal attack on me as a conspiracy against Christian Science. But we have undergone much, and we may yet have to undergo other trials. "You know, however, it is only through fermentation that the yeast fits the dough for bread, that will nourish and this is only a fermentation under the waters which will bring the impurities to the surface and slough them off, leaving the residuum clearer and purer than before."

Talks of Her Son.

"They say I am not able to take care of my affairs," she went on. Her eyes were sparkling now and her voice trembled just a little. She drew the fingers of her right hand into a knot of determination and brought them down resolutely on the arm of the chair. "My son, whom I took care of for many years, now wants to take care of me, because he is suddenly impressed with my incapacity for managing my business. It might not appear from his present condition that he himself has any surplus of ability in this line. "There was a proud little shake of the head by way of emphasizing this statement shaded with sarcasm; there was a graceful sweep of the right arm as she followed it, spiritedly, without any of those who here surround me whether or not I am the active head of this house. From roof to cellar I am mistress. I supervise everything that goes on within these walls. Outside them, on the place, everything is deferred to my decision. Ask any one who is in a position to know about this!"

Mrs. Eddy herself had answered this question to my full satisfaction by her very manner and speech, though I later saw many additional proofs. The vigor with which she endowed her words and the expression that accompanied them evidenced not only the possibility, but the extreme probability of her being this very thing.

Ignorant of Law.

"When it comes to the law, I am an ignoramus," she continued, "but I cannot see how just laws can admit of such proceedings as those now waged against me." "Who, pray, is not an ignoramus before the law?" I suggested. "Who, indeed!" she replied, instantly catching the spirit of the quip, and coming nearer to a laugh than at any time during the interview. If Mrs. Eddy is being manipulated by her staff, the task is certainly pursued in a needlessly strenuous manner. But it became very evident to me that the person who manipulates Mrs. Eddy is Mrs. Eddy. I am a no alienist, yet it would be difficult to alienate me from certain opinions I formed during my interview with her and my stay at her home.

SYSTEM UNSATISFACTORY.

Owner Lakeland Denounces Present Method of Starting at the Post. SHEEPSHEAD BAY, L. I., July 13.—William Lakeland, the horse owner, breeder and trainer, is against the flaccid, slow and in vogue under the rules of the Jockey Club. "We are not getting real starting," Lakeland declared the other day. "Too many horses are beaten when the barrier ascends to call it starting. But our starts are neither flatfoot nor moving starts. They are a mixture of the two. The alert jockeys—Miller, Radtke and Dugan—have their horses in motion when the barrier ascends almost invariably, and the other youngsters get running starts. The alert jockeys get running starts, the others the other kind. No boy could properly be called an alert jockey if he did not keep his horse moving at the barrier. I never let one of my mounts come to a stand. I had him on his toes always. If I were riding these days I would do as Miller does."

At Grove Avenue. Rev. Dr. S. J. Porter, field secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, will preach at Grove Avenue Baptist Church to-day. His subject in the morning will be "Love's Enthronement," and for the evening service "Christ's Remedy for Troubled Hearts."

Casino Company Assigns. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, Va., July 13.—The West End Casino Company, which has been operating a stock show in the suburbs since early spring, has made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. The assets are placed at \$600. Leon Goodman is trustee.

ALL STREET CARS TRANSFER TO
W.A.CHEATWOOD,
1509-11-13 E. MAIN ST.
OFTEN THE CHEAPEST-ALWAYS THE BEST.
OUT OF THE HIGH-RENT DISTRICT



The Bargain Storm Continues!

THE FLOOD GATES OF VALUES ARE OPEN

The doomed stock of the choicest merchandise to be bought is being daily sacrificed to the eager buyers, who have thronged the store since the beginning Friday morning.

Like Handing You Money!

Overbuying and a late spring find my store overstocked. I must raise thousands of dollars at once. I must have the cash.

All Richmond May Save!

\$2 Skirts Doomed to 69c

- Ladies' \$2 Wash Skirts, smart plaited and killed effects, Cashmeres, Worsteads, etc.; solid colors, checks and plaids, at... 69c
- \$1.50 Cannon Cloth Skirts, made with rows of plaits some are hand embroidered; cool and wash well, each..... 98c
- \$2.50 and \$3 Linen Finish Cannon Cloth Skirts, newest plaited effect, hand tailored, beautiful, rich materials, each..... \$1.48
- Ladies' \$5 Cream Skirts, made of rich Panama and Brilliantine, rows of box plaits and killed; very cool; each..... \$3.48

Gather in the Bargains that Greet You Here

Ladies' Hats

- \$5 Trimmed Hats, Chiffons and Leghorns, all very mod. \$2.98
- ish; doomed to \$1.98
- \$3.50 Trimmed Hats, late styles; doomed to... \$1.98
- \$2.50 Trimmed Hats, very late styles; doomed to... 98c
- 95c Shirtwaist Hats, all styles, all colors 23c
- \$1 Sallors; doomed to.....48c
- 50c Sallors; doomed to.....19c
- 25c Sallors; doomed to.....14c

Ladies' Shoes

- Ladies' Oxfords, Pat. Colt. Gun Metal and Vici Kid, Blucher, worth \$2; doomed to go at..... \$1.39
- Ladies' Oxfords, Vici Kid, Pat. Colt and Gun Metal Bluchers, worth \$2.50; doomed to go at..... \$1.79
- Ladies' Oxfords, Pat. Colt, Vici Kid and Gun Metal Bluchers, worth \$3; doomed to go at..... \$1.99
- Ladies' Pat. Colt Blucher Oxfords, worth \$3.50; doomed to go at..... \$2.59
- Ladies' Oxfords, Pat. Colt and Vici Kid, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50; doomed to go at... 99c
- Ladies' Canvas Oxfords, blue, white, black and gray bluchers, worth \$1.50; doomed to go at..... 99c

Children's Sallors

- 95c Sallors; doomed to.....48c
- 50c Sallors; doomed to.....23c
- Ladies' 95c Sallor Hats, 11c now at.....

\$3 Waists Doomed to \$1.98

- \$3.50 Silk Waists, washable white and black, tastefully trimmed with lace and insertion; elbow sleeves; doomed to... \$2.19
- Lot of \$2.50 and \$3 Waists, white and black silk, beautifully embroidered fronts; open back or front; elbow sleeves; doomed to \$1.98
- \$1.50 and \$2 Waists, splendid India Linen, wash beautifully; some are embroidered, others have lace and tucks, long and short sleeves \$1.00
- \$1.25 and \$1.50 Waists, tucks, lace, embroidery, long and short sleeves, cool, excellent fabric, doomed to..... 98c

Silk Bargains

- Lot of Silk, 39c quality, short lengths, per yard... 19c
- Lot of Silk, good assortment of figures and solid colors, regular 50c kind; doomed to go at..... 33c
- Chiffon Silk, 27 inches wide, worth 50c a yard; while it lasts doomed to go at.... 37c

Ladies' Skirts

- Silk and Voile \$10 and \$12 Skirts, black, crisp, rich materials; most carefully tailored; rows of plaits; some trimmed with silk braid; very light weight, each, \$5.98 and... \$8.98
- Ladies' \$7 and \$8 Skirts, including gray, black and blue Panamas and Brilliantines, absolutely smart killed off, facts, each, \$2.08 and... \$4.98

Belts, Combs, Hose Supporters

- Women's 10c Wash Belts, 3c bit soiled 11c
- Women's 10c Belts, excellent, stylish 15c
- Lot Combs, good quality 7c and sizes 15c
- Women's 10c Hose Supporters, 48c, 50c and.....

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